

## **FISCAL NOTE**

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: February 19, 1996

SUBJECT: **SB 2891 - HB 2679**

This bill, if enacted, will amend the law on the liability of a father of a child born out of wedlock so that the judge may order the father to pay the mother an amount equal to the amount ordered for child support. In effect, the father would pay the child support for both parties.

The fiscal impact of this bill is estimated to be a decrease in state expenditures in the Aid to Families with Dependent Children program because of increased court-ordered payments to AFDC clients will offset some state expenditures in the program. The amount of decrease cannot be determined but is estimated to be not significant.

The fiscal impact on local governments is estimated to be an increase in revenues because of increased clerk fees. However, the amount cannot be determined but is estimated to be not significant.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "J".

James A. Davenport, Executive Director